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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

In accordance with applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, please find attached hereto form PTO-1449 listing information which may be material to the patentability of this application, filed July 16, 2003.

We are enclosing copies of U.S. Patent Nos. 6,090,184 and 6,532,620;

Application Nos.: 2002/069476 and 2003/019074. German Patent No.: 199 38 769;

International Publication Nos: WO 02/078505 and WO 02/078506. We are also enclosing a copy of a Search Report from the French Patent Office dated November 25, 2004.

Since this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the issuance of the first Office Action based on the merits, no petition or fee is required.

It should be understood that attention has been called to the references that have been deemed to be pertinent to the claimed present invention. In concluding what was pertinent, the criteria employed was considered most appropriate in light of the invention shown in the present application. However, the Examiner or others may deem some other criteria to be just as appropriate or more appropriate.

Therefore, the Examiner is respectfully urged to review the listed references and to make the usual careful independent search for other prior art that may be pertinent.

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